

**Technische Hochschule Carola-
Wilhelmina zu Braunschweig**
FB Maschinenbau

University of Waterloo
Dept. of Engineering

This university-to-university agreement originated in 1981 and was especially designed for students of the Fachbereich Maschinenbau at the TH Braunschweig and the Department of Engineering at Waterloo, although access to Waterloo is not restricted. Up to 10 students from Germany usually study at Waterloo, whereas only up to five or six usually come from Waterloo to the TH Braunschweig.

The German students are selected by a committee of representatives of the Engineering Department and of the "Akademisches Auslandsamt". About six of the ten students receive financial support within the framework of an IAS program, i.e. the DAAD funds travel costs and tuition is free. These students receive up to DM 700 per month on condition that they provide DM 500 for their upkeep themselves. German students that are supported by the BAFöG scheme cannot be supported by the IAS/DAAD grant but they are eligible for Auslands-BAFöG. The Canadian students must cover their costs individually.

Usually students remain enrolled at their university (German students receive special leave status), unless they decide to do otherwise.

Plans are being made to extend the exchange program to faculty members in the very near future.

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